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30.	Vishal Pipe Udyog Ltd., Sikandrabad.	M S Tubes
31.	Agarwal Tubes Pvt. Ltd., Muzaffarnagar.	M S Tubes
32.	Singhal Pesticides Industries, Muzaffarnagar.	Endosulfan 35% EC
33.	Shivalik Tubes Pvt. Ltd., Muzaffarnagar.	M S Tubes
34.	Deluxe Cement Mills P. Ltd., Meerut.	Cement
35.	B M Cement P Ltd.,Meerut	Cement
36.	S D Cements P. Ltd.,Meerut	Cement.
37.	Shree Cement Indus. Shikohabad.	Cement.
38.	M R Lamps, Meerut.	GLS Lamps.
39.	Gulab Cements P Ltd., Meerut.	Cement.
40.	R.C. Rubber Product, Calcutta.	Rubber, Canvas Boots, Miners
41.	Yonex (Electro) Pvt. Ltd., Calcutta.	Water Filter Candles.

Voluntary Organisations for Blinds

5972. SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO :
SHRI RAJENDRA AGNIHOTRI :
SHRI JAI PRAKASH AGARWAL :

Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the approximate number of blind persons in each state;

(b) the details of the Central Schools for the blinds;

(c) the percentage of aid being given to the societies running schools for the mentally retarded/handicapped children;

(d) whether the Government have any scheme to fully compensate the societies running such schools;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) if not, the reason therefor?

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI BALWANT SINGH RAMOOWALIA) : (a) As per the latest Sample Survey conducted by National Sample Survey Organisation in 1991, there are about 4.01 million persons in the country suffering from visual disability. This survey did not indicate state-wise distribution.

(b) There is no Central School for the blind.

(c) to (f) Upto 90% of the expenditure inccurred by Non-Governmental Organisations working for the welfare of the disabled on approved items under the schemes of (i) Assistance to organisations for the Disabled, and (ii) Assistance to Organisations for Establishment of the Development of Special Schools for handicapped children is met out of Central Government grant-in-aid. Under the scheme of Assistance to Organisations for manpower development in the field of mental retardation and Cerebral Palsy, even 100% expenditure incurred by Non-Governmental Organisations is met out of the Central Government grant-in-aid.

[Translation]

Looting of Tourists

5973. SHRI HANSRAJ AHIR : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware of the incident of looting a tourist bus of foreign tourists and injuring them of the Boddh Gaya Dobhi Road in Bihar by some armed dacoits;

(b) if so, the names of the countries to which these tourists belonged;

(c) the total luggage and cash looted from these tourists;

(d) the condition of the injured tourists in the incident; and

(e) the steps being taken by the Government to arrest the dacoits?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR) : (a) to (e) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

[English]

Supply of Fertilizers

5974. SHRI P.R. DAS MUNSI :
SHRI LAKSHMAN SINGH :

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state: